

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: LISK et al.) Art Group: 3734
Serial No.: 10/732,890) Examiner: MENDOZA, Michael G.
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For: DISPOSABLE SEPARATOR FOR SEPARATING THE EPITHELIUM LAYER FROM
THE CORNEA OF AN EYE

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 7, 2007, please amend the referenced patent application as follows and consider the remarks below. This Response is filed along with a Request for Continued Examination and the requisite fee. After this Response, there are 37 claims total (37 were previously paid for), of which 7 claims are independent (7 were previously paid for). So no fee is due for net addition of claims. This Response is filed within the third month after the end of the three-month response period beginning on the mailing date of the Office Action. So a Petition for Extension of Time for three months and the requisite fee are enclosed. In the event that any further extension of time is required, please consider this a request therefor. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1513.